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Federal Communications Commission (FCC)
445 Twelfth Street SW
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Alison Munro

Alison Munro
78 Mitchell St.
Norwich, NY 13845

P.S. There is a big difference in how I can communicate with Relay, compared to what I had before (TTY). I am much more independent and much more social than ever before and would like to let you know how important this service is to me, my family and my friends.

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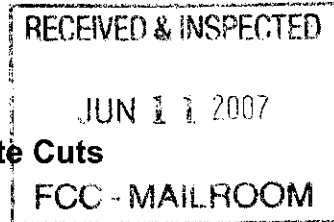
(Vivian Palantogoulos)
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25 Bridge St
Serkirk, NY

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Signature

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Printed Name

John Lott

Address

P.O. Box 112443

City

Campbell

State

CA

Zip

95008

Email

John.D.Lott@laboo.com

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Jeannette M. Garante

(Link at 17 @ Earthlink.net)

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Sincerely,

Signature

Judith M Tamez

Printed Name

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Address

PO Box 945

City

Choteau

State

Montana

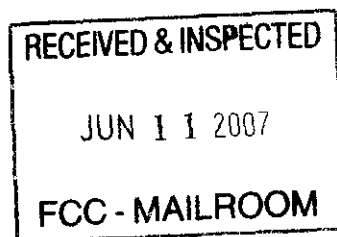
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59422-0945

Email

① Spirit@3Rivers OR ② angelicJudith@yahoo.com

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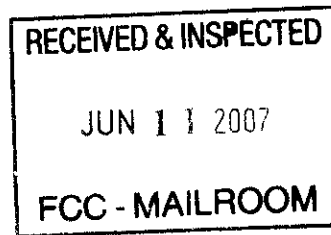
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Wanda Oliver

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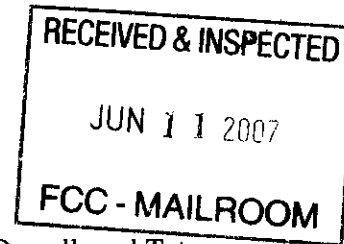
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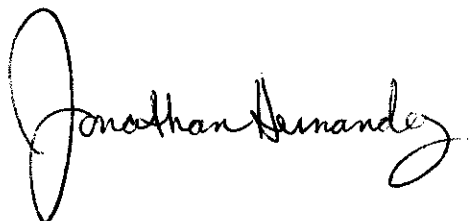
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Signature

Harold Miller

Printed Name

HAROLD MILLER

Address

20469 VILLA GRANDE CIR

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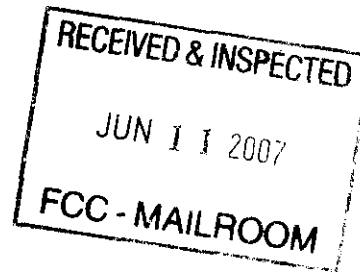
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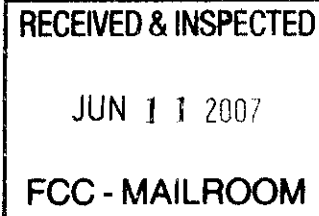
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john loman, E-mailaddy. Goofy-1959@hotmail.com

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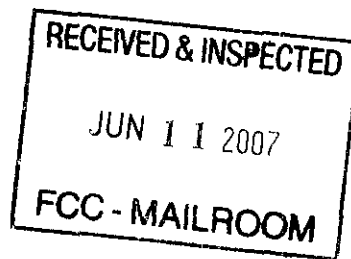
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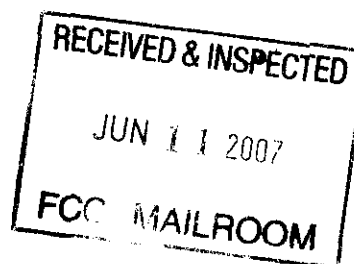
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